

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA

ABSTRACT

Agricultural & Cooperation Department - Procurement of Maize under MSP during Kharif 2017-18 by the Telangana State MARKFED – Permission to dispose the stocks by calling tenders – Constitution of Committee - Orders - Issued

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AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (Mktg.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 39

Dated: 12-01-2018,

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.44, Agri. & Coop. (Mktg.II) Department. dated.13.09.2017.
2. GOI Memorandum No.07/10/2013-PY.III, Dt:21.03.2014.
3. From the Managing Director, T.S.MARKFED, Hyderabad, Letter No.377/P&M/Maize/Disposal/Khariff //2017-18, dated:28.12.2017.

ORDER :

The Managing Director, T.S.MARKFED, Hyderabad in his letter 3rd read above has stated that MARKFED has purchased 24,61,562 Qtls of Maize valued for Rs. 350.77 Crores from 175 centers as on 26.12.17 under MSP and proposed to closed the centers shortly as harvesting season also is in the fag end. He has further informed that, the suitable period for disposal of maize is in between of Khariff and Rabi i.e., Jan-Feb and after completion of Rabi i.e., from end of June to August.

2. The Managing Director, TS MARKFED has requested the Government to permit T.S. MARKFED to float the tenders by appointing a committee for fixing the reserve price and immediate disposal of the Maize purchased during Kharif 2017-18 from 15th January to 15th March before commencement of Rabi maize arrivals, so as to avoid further storage & interest charges burden on MARKFED / Government.

3. Government after careful examination of the matter, and based on the report of the Managing Director, T.S.MARKFED, Hyderabad, the Government hereby decide to constitute a Committee with the following Officers to oversee the disposal of the Maize as follows :

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| 1. The Commissioner and Director of Agriculture, Hyderabad | --- Chairman |
| 2. The Director of Agricultural Marketing, Hyderabad | --- Member |
| 3. The Joint Secretary, Finance Department | --- Member |
| 4 .The Managing Director, T.S., MARKFED, Hyd | ---- Member /Convener |

4. The Secretary, Finance is requested to nominate one officer in the cadre of Joint Secretary as Member.

5. The above Committee is directed to meet periodically and shall be responsible for getting the quality verification of the stocks being offered for sale, fixing the reserve price, approving the terms and conditions of the tender notice, evaluating the bids and making final recommendations for approval of the sale.

6. The committee would also propose a formula for fixing the reserve price. The reserve price cannot be constant and will have to vary based upon the location of the warehouse where the stocks are to be sold and the period in which the stocks are to be sold. While assessing the reserve price, the committee could evaluate the APMC rates for the past three months and rates in future markets also and should complete entire process of sale of procured stocks before commencement of next Rabi season.

7. All tenders for disposal of Maize would be done through e-Tender and there will be no manual tenders for the disposal of Maize.

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8. The bids would be called for lot-wise. Each lot would mean the stocks of a particular procurement centre. If the stocks in a particular centre are too large, then the stocks would be split and offered for bid separately.

9. Once bids are called, the Committee would meet regularly and evaluate the bids within two days and make recommendations to the State Government for approval of the bids.

10. The Commissioner and Director of Agriculture Department, Telangana, Hyderabad and the Managing Director, Telangana MARKFED, Hyderabad are requested to take further necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

**C.PARTHA SARATHI,
APC & SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.**

To

The Commissioner and Director of Agriculture Department, Telangana State,
Hyderabad

The Director of Agricultural Marketing, T.S., Hyderabad.

The Finance Department, Telangana Secretariat.

Copy to:

The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Government, Finance Department, Telangana State.

The Managing Director, T.S.MARKFED, Hyderabad.

The O.S.D to Minister (Mktg).

The P.S.to APC & Secretary to Government, Agri. & Coop. Dept.

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SECTION OFFICER